

Add the following new claims:

1 Sub 27 8. (New) The billiard cue of claim 3 wherein the shaft is formed
2 of a material having a modulus of elasticity greater than or equal to 4.3×10^6 P.S.I. 107L

1 9. (New) The billiard cue of claim 1 wherein the bore extends to
2 an end located from about 4 to about 5 inches from the tip end of the shaft. 1036

1 10. (New) The billiard cue of claim 1 wherein:
2 the bore extends for up to at least 10 to 12 inches from the tip end. 1025
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1 11. (New) The billiard cue of claim 1 wherein:
2 the shaft has a tip portion extending from the tip end; and 1026 or 5
3 the bore extending from the tip end only through the tip portion of the
4 shaft.

1 Sub D27 12. (New) The billiard cue of claim 1 further comprising:
2 a lightweight, non-structural material disposed in at least a portion of 1027
3 the bore. 112 2nd L